

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Applic. No. | : | 10/518,609 | Confirmation No: 8991 |
| Applicant | : | Kurt Hess, et al. | |
| Filed | : | July 27, 2005 | |
| Title | : | Fire Detector | |
| Art Unit | : | 2612 | |
| Examiner | : | Hung T. Nguyen | |
| Docket No. | : | 2003P16170 | |
| Customer No. | : | 24131 | |

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

A M E N D M E N T under 37 CFR § 1.116

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated August 27, 2007 kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.